Gen. Sakharoff Reports a Battle in a Mou tain Pass Near Kalping—Japanese Forces Closing In On Port Arthur—More Charges of Mutilation of the Dead.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ST. PETERSBURG, July 8 .- Gen. Sakharoff, in a despatch referring to the operations last Wednesday north of Senyucheng, describes a series of movements which cannot be followed clearly, owing to the names of places which cannot be traced. They consisted partly of a wide Japanese turning movement from the heights dominating the valley of the Tsilinkau River as far as Liachouve, eight miles southeast of Kai-

A Russian company stubbornly contested the pass south of Siadinia, but were finally obliged to retreat before superior numbers, having their commander and two other officers wounded and about fifteen men killed or wounded.

A Japanese force, estimated to consist of a division of infantry, two regiments of eavalry and sixty guns moved north from Senyucheng along the railroad on July 6 and occupied early on July 7 the heights near Baositchwa. Russian scouts the same morning discovered a vast camp of Japanese in the neighborhood of Siaokhezza.

The despatch concludes by saying that no rains have fallen, but does not specify the rainless period. Unofficial reports indicate a considerable cessation in the rainfall. The roads are generally dry.

Gen. Sakharoff also reports that a genera advance of the enemy is being made. The entire Japanese front is being advanced from the seashore to the valley of the Chinstan.

LONDON, July 9 .- A despatch to the Chronicle from Tokio says that the Japanese have captured more than ten guns and fifty prisoners near Kaiping. Strenuous fighting is going on daily at all points of contact. The Russians are making a stubborn defence. The Japanese fleet at Port Arthur is cooperating with the army and is bombarding the forts.

The Cheloo correspondent of the Express says it is reported that there has been a big engagement between the rival fleets at Port Arthur. The Japanese ashore have captured Fort No. 14, in addition to Fort No. 16. Both dominate sections of the main defences. Severe fighting continues.

LONDON, July 8.—Gen. Sakharoff's report is the only official war news. There is nothing from independent sources illuminating his characteristic wordy despatch or indicating the probable ultimate purpose of the great Japanese move toward Kaiping which he reveals.

The chief attention here is centred upor Port Arthur, the downfall of which is predicted to be very near, whether sooner or later being regarded as merely a question of how many men the Japanese are prepared to secrifice. All the news, however, comes from pro-Japanese sources and cannot be

According to the St. Petersburg corendent of the Telegroph, surprise and disappointment are expressed there that the check the rainy season was expected to put on the Japanese advance has not been realized, and that despite the supthey marched a force to the Fenchui Pass along the Liaoyang road at the rate of seven miles daily. Even worse than that, the column which defeated Gen. Rennenkampf on June 28 was discovered on July 4 forty miles east of Mukden.

MUTILATING THE DEAD.

Tokio Has Report of Scout's Body Found Out Beyond Recognition.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Tokio, July 8 .- The only official report received to-day is an account of the finding of the body of a ecout, mutilated beyond recognition, northeast of Siuyen last Sun-

The Jiji Shimpo reports that the southward movement from Tashichao was pal-pably checked on Monday. The paper again urges the Government to permit foreign correspondents to proceed to the

The press persists in printing statements that there is hot fighting in the rear of Port Arthur, in which the Russian losses have

In some quarters the German denial of any intention of harboring the Russian Port Arthur squadron at Kisochau, the German port in the Chinese province of Shantung is regarded as being quite natural. Nevertheless, the report that the squadron will seek shelter there if it succeeds in getting away from Port Arthur is generally acpepted as being true.

The Japanese Legation at Seoul has de an investigation of the situation in northern Corea. It reports that that esction of the country is prosperous. The traces of Russian devastation are slight. Japanese have disbursed two million

The Admiralty denies that Russian torpedo boats were at Gensan, Corea, on Wednesday as reported.

The Emperor yesterday presented stands of colors to two new regiments. He told the troops that he expected them to do their utmost to protect the country.

JAPS ARE CLOSING IN. The Fall of Port Arthur is Megarded as

Implicent. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Toxio, July 8.-Operations of paramount importance are being carried out within the war sone, but the Government succeeds in veiling them in almost absolute secrecy. It is known that the Japanese army and navy are daily tightening their grip upon Port Arthur and that the final assault upon

it and its fall are a question of weeks only. To the Japanese it is the enactment of a great tragedy, with the curtain down. No signer is with the force that is besieging Arthur, with Gen. Oku's army, or with the army that landed at Takushan. under the command of Gen. Nodzu. The newspaper correspondents and military attachés with Gen. Kuroki are kept within a circle of little more than a mile in diameter

As a result the Russians are forced to go along a front of 260 miles and determine by actual acouting the positions and force of the Japanese. Even then they have to reckon and discount a whole series of clever

feints and ruses.

the defences of Port Arthur, was captured

on Wednesday by the Japanese.

The Japanese have reached the northeast slope of Takushan Mountain, the summit of which is less than three miles from Port Arthur. The Russians claim to have annihilated

three Japanese regiments during the last BRITISH FLEET WITHDRAWN.

Ships Leave Gulf of Pechili and Anchor at Yungehing.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN.
WEI-HAI-WEI, July 8,-It is understood hat the British squadron, which left here unexpectedly yesterday, is anchored in Yungching Bay, sixty-three miles southeast of Chefoo, in consequence of orders to evacuate the Gulf of Pechili. The squadron consists of four battleships and four cruisers.

TIENTSIN, July 8 .- The British cruiser, Espiegle, which the Russians refused to allow to enter the port of Newchwang, is returning to Chinwangtao. The Russian object in retaining a gunboat anchored at the mouth of the river at Newchwang is supposed to be to dispute the passage should the Espiègle return.

Heavy firing was heard in the direction of Kaiping on Wednesday. It is rumored that the Russians gained a victory.

JAPAN'S TRADE KEEPS UP. Imports and Exports Show an Increase

Despite the War. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. London, July 8.-The Tokio spondent of the Standard says the war as as yet in nowise affected Japan's foreign trade, the total imports for the six months ended June 30 having been 820,000,000 yen, an increase of 28,000,000 yen over the corresponding period last year. The exports increased 11,000,000 yen.

Cholera Threatens Both Armies. WASHINGTON, July 8 .- United States Minister Allen has cabled to the State De partment from Seoul that he has learned from a missionary surgeon that cholers has crossed Manchuria and has appeared at Antung. It is pointed out that both the Russian and Japanese armies may be in

danger from this disease. CUBAN HOUSE ORGANIZES. Senor Malberty, a Moderate, Is Chesen Speaker.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. HAVANA, July 8.—The House of Repre sentatives to-day elected Sefior Malberty Speaker. He is a Moderate. Other officers were also elected. Of the remaining fifteen pacifico members who were proclaimed by the provincial boards of canvassers, but who have not been proclaimed by the House,

twelve are Moderates and three are Liberals The strike of the harbor workmen continues. Shippers have notified the Mayor that as the harbor men have broken their contracts the shippers in turn will refuse to recognize the unions, employing whom they please. Everything is quiet.

SURVIVORS FROM THE NORGE. Eighteen More Have Landed at the Fare

dal Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, July 8 .- Eighteen survivors of the wreck of the Norge have been landed on

Twenty more survivors from the steamer Norge, comprising the second mate, seven Norge, comprising the second mate, seven sailors and twelve passengers, have arrived at the Shetland Islands, to reach which they spent eight days in rowing. They were all in an exhausted condition. Some of them were unable to speak and were too weak to stand.

The Farce Islands are a group belonging to Denmark, situated in the North Atlantic, one hundred and seventy miles north of the Shetland Islands, the most northerly point of Scotland, and about two hundred miles from the Hebrides, on a rock of which islands the Norge was wrecked.

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A cable message was received yesterday
by Albert E. Johnson, passenger agent of
the Soandinavian-American Steamship Line survivors of the steamship Norge had been landed at the Farce Islands. No further

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. EDINBURGH, July 8.—Hannis Taylor had conferred on him to-day by the University of Edinburgh the degree of doctor of laws. Mr. Taylor was formerly American Minister to Spain and later one of the counsel for the United States before the Alaska Boundard Commission. He is the author of "The Origin and Growth of the British Constitution."

Cholers Epidemie in Persia. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

TEHERAN, Persia, July 8.—There is an epidemic of cholera in this city. The leaths number several hundreds daily. CHILD CREPT UNDER WAGON.

Sophia Halprin Killed When the Hors Started-Record of Tragedy. Five-year-old Sophia Halprin was run over by a delivery wagon yesterday afternoon in front of her home, 58 East 110th
street, and killed. Peter Weber, the driver,
of 398 Wallabout street, Brooklyn, was
locked up in the East 104th street station.
The girl was playing ball with some of her
companions, and the ball rolled under the
delivery wagon, which was standing in front
of her home. The driver was in the house
delivering goods.

The child went under the wagon after
the ball. When Weber came out he did not
see her. He put his foot on one of the front
wheels, and the horse started ahead. One
of the rear wheels passed over the child's
breast. over by a delivery wagon yesterday after-

of the rear wheels passed over the child's breast.

The family were going to move yesterday from the house, because the father said that they had had nothing but bad luck since they went there to live. Mrs. Halprin died suddenly two years ago, and a few months ago Mrs. Bloomfest, the little girl's aunt, fell from the fire escape while hanging out clothing and was killed.

FALL KILLED INSTANTLY. Old Man Met Death Stepping Out of Horse's

Max Wolf, 84 years old, who lives with his son Herman Wolf at 2 East 114th street while waiting for a Madison avenue electric car last night at 118th street, was either knocked down or fell, and received a fractured skull from which he died. Walter Goodale, a collector, of 557 West 124th street, who was driving a single horse attached to a light runabout, was arrested, but a number of eyewitnesses told the police that the man was not run down by the horse.

Wolf was standing near the curb when Goodale came along. He was driving close to the ourb and the old man stepped back to get out of the way. In doing so he slipped and fell back, striking the pavement with his head. Before any one got to him he was dead. Goodale was bailed by Magistrate Zeller at the East 126th street station. Mr. Wolf had been visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. Gladstone, at 56 East 118th street. car last night at 118th street, was either

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

The Norwich Line steamer City of Lowell will make trips up the Hudson this summer beginning July 10. She will leave Pier 40 North River at 10 e clock in the morning, touching at West 129th street at 16:38. No stop will be made at up-river points. The idea is to provide a fine cool sail.

A row of five five story flat houses at the north-west corner of Sight avenue and Fortich street, facing the new public library site in Bryant Park, is to be remedalled into bachelor apartments.

Emma Malcolm is the owner. The cost is estimated at \$100.00.

CHAMBERLAIN THEIR LEADER

TWO HUNDRED UNIONIST M. PS. RALLY TO HIS STANDARD.

His Fiscal Policy Indorsed at a Dinner in London—Declares He Will Support the Halfour Government—Great En-thusiasm for the Ex-Colonial Secretary.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, July 8.-Two hundred Unionist members of the House of Commons gave a dinner to-night at the Hotel Cecil in hon of the sixty-eighth birthday of Joseph Chamberlain and the twenty-eighth anniversary of his entrance into Parliament. The gathering was non-official. No mem-

per of the Government was present. It was a demonstration of admiration for the ex-Colonial Secretary and his creed of imperialism, with which is bound up his fiscal policy. His political and press supporters assert that the dinner proves that the fiscal reformers are the strongest section of the House of Commons, inasmuch as 200 of a total of 387 Unionists contributed to the manifestation, which was marked by an enthusiasm, which, perhaps, could

not be exaggerated. Mr. Chamberlain, in a powerful speech, declared that he and his friends would oyally support the Government. They were determined to maintain it in powe as long as possible. He reiterated with snap and vigor the familiar arguments in favor of his imperial and fiscal policy, especially pointing to the example of weld ing in the case of the United States. He urged that the present chance be not lost, when the colonies are willing to cooperate with the motherland, lest there be an awak ening later and it be found that the colonies wearied with waiting, had made their own arrangements independently.

LONDON, July 9.-It is to be inferred from the editorials in the pro-Chamberlain newspapers that they regard last night's lemonstration as sealing Mr. Chamber lain's claim to form and lead a new Unionist party pledged to his theories. The Telegraph declares that the event is of far reaching and decisive significance. It adds that it must satisfy every far seeing observer that the fortunes of the Unionist party are inseparable from the combative inspiration which Mr. Chamberlain supplies and from the supreme cause he has placed before the country.

It shows once for all how the conviction

of a majority of the party leans unmistakably, and indicates where the basis for consolidation must be found when the practical conditions of the present parliamentary situation give place in due time to consideration of the problems of the future. The Daily Mail says that the question of tariff reform is not yet before the country.

nor will it be while the government remains in office, but it will be raised when the proper hour arrives. DEFENCE OF BIDE-A-WEE HOME.

The Officers of the Society Try to Have the Dogs Well Treated. YONEERS, N. Y., July S .- Mrs. H. U. Kibbe, vice-president and treasurer of the Bide-a-Wee Home for Dogs, appeared voluntarily before Judge Kellogg to-day and made a statement in reference to the charges that the home was badly conducted and the animals ill-treated. She was not accompanied by counsel. The dogs were not ill-treated in any instance, she said, neither were they starved through her fault. If they were not properly fed it was the fault of the keeper at the home. Plenty of supplies were sent there. Webber, a Harlem

meat dealer, shipped thirty-five pounds of meat three times a week.

"One day I was notified that no shipment had been made," she said, "so I immediately took a large quantity up myself; that was on June 24. Hundreds of pounds of dog crackers were sent to the home by Mrs Senator Platt, Mrs. Wooden and others. Barrels of fresh bread also were sent there by the steward of the hotel where I live in New York. It is untrue that this bread was stale and worthless. We have had considerable trouble with the management of the home. We gave instructions to have the male and female dogs kept separate, and also the sick dogs, but our instructions were

In answer to Judge Kellogg, Mrs. Kibbe stated that large supplies of medicine were sent to the house for the dogs, but the corks in the bottles would be drawn and very

sent to the house for the dogs, but the corks in the bottles would be drawn and very little used.

"The manager refused to use the medicine prescribed by Dr. Miller, the society's veterinarian," said Mrs. Kibbe. "She preferred to use her own medicine. She asserted she was something of a doctor herself. In the old home the inspectors were continually reporting that things were not going right, so we decided to make a change. We have hired our present home, and we were making preparations to get a new manager when the S. P. C. A. was notified. I have nothing but words of praise for AgentiGarijost, as he has helped us to carry out the reforms we had instituted before he came out. No sick dogs are received at the home; they are sent to Dr. Miller's place in New York until they are convalescent."

In answer to Agent Garijost Mrs. Kibbe stated that the home was managed by the president, secretary and a board of three directors. She herself has been vice president and treasurer since the society's inception. Inspectors visit the home four times a week, she said. Agent Garijost made a statement as to what was found on the day he and Judge Kellogg visited the home. He said that a large bag of fresh meat was found and the man in charge said that the reason he had not fed the dogs was because he had not received his salary. Judge Kellogg confirmed this. It is understood that no action will be taken against the society, as it had evidently been handicapped in not having its orders carried out. Agent Garijost will inspect the new home next week.

NOYES GRUDGINGLY RELEASED. No Case Against Man Who se Wife Fell Out

of Window and Lost Memory. Leon Noyes of 120 West Third street has been held in the Jefferson Market prison ever since his wife, Alice Noyes, was found under the front windows of the house, with a fractured skull, at 8 o'clock in the evening of June 11. Certificates have been issued from time to time from St. Vincent's Hospital that she had not recovered her memory, and yesterday Noves was finally discharged. According to the doctors, Mrs. Noyes has lost both memory and intellect, and it will never be known whether she fell

and it will never be anown whether she fell or was pushed out of the window.

Policeman Mark F. Horrigan of the Mercer street station, who arrested Noyes, said that the prisoner's mother told him that Mrs. Noyes was subject to epileptic fits and may have tumbled out of the third story window in oof them.

Agriculture of them. Assistant District Attorney Chadwick said:
"We have to discharge Noyes because
we have no case against him."

CHECKS CAME BY MAIL. Policies Got Back, Too; Boy and Cash Not

Yet Heard From. Osgood Price, a 14-year-old boy of 72 West 105th street, disappeared Wednesday morning with a satchel containing \$180 in morning with a satchel containing sist in cash, \$500 in checks and three fire insurance policies the property of Edwin C. Dusenbury, a lawyer of 149 Broadway, for whom the boy worked.

The checks and insurance policies were returned to Mr. Dusenbury by mail. The police seat out a general alarm for Price.

WORLD'S FAIR'S BIG RECEIPTS. Over \$500,000 From June 16 to June \$

St. Louis, July 8 .- According to the report of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, the receipts from all sources from June 16 to June 30 were \$582,730.37. Of this amount the concessions contributed

nearly 30 per cent. A detailed report of the receipts has been made by President Francis to Secretary Shaw, and it is from the Treasury Department in Washington that the figures are obtained. Forty per cent. of the amount of the receipts, \$213,092.15, was paid into the

Sub-treasury in this city on July 1.

Five hundred thousand dollars is the Government July 15, and the exposition officials, as well as the Government officials, express no doubt but that the money will be paid promptly.

FREEDOM FOR A MURDERESS.

No Prison for a Kentucky Woman Who Avenged the Wreeking of Her Home. LEXINGTON, Ky., July 8.-With the in unction "go and sin no more," Acting Governor Thorne to-day pardoned Mrs. Nancy May of Lealie county, a twenty-year-old woman, who had taken the law within her own hands and killed the woman who had wreeked her little mountain home.

Mrs. May came here with an infant at her breast to serve a ten year sentence but she was pardoned before she entered the prison walls. She started on horseback on the sixty mile journey to her home. KANSAS RIVERS STILL RISING.

Situation at Wichita Worse, but Conditions

at Kansas City Improve. WICHITA, Kan., July 8 .- The flood situation here to-day is not improving. Both the Big and Little Arkansas rivers have been rising slowly since 4 o'clock A. M., and mes-sages from Halstead and Valley Centre indicate that a rise of several inches more may be expected.

Haistead is under water and so is Valley Centre. Hundreds of persons who were forced out of their homes have been given shelter at the Wichita Court House. Mrs. C. G. McAdams died from fright

last night. Her house was surrounded MANSAS CITY, Mo., July 8.—The Missouri River at Kansas City, although up from the overflow from the Kaw at this point, is still in no danger of causing any serious flood. Across from Kansas City the Mis-souri has flooded Harlem, a sparsely settled place, but none of the manufacturing plants along that stream has suffered

The rivers here have been practically stationary to-day; only slight fluctuations are expected, although showers may raise the flood level somewhat. The rainfall in the flood level somewhat. The rainfall in the Kaw valley in the last twenty-four hours consisted of ordinary showers.

The loss to the Kansas wheat crop by rains this season is estimated at 16,000,000 bushels. Grain men here have received many telegrams placing the damage at from 10 to 50 per cent., and in a few localities it was declared that no wheat at all would be saved. On July 1 Kansas had a wheat crop apparently assuring a yield of 85,000,000 bushels.

Washington, July 8.—Orders were issued by acting Secretary of War Oliver

sued by acting Secretary of War Oliver this morning directing Gen. J. F. Bell, commanding officer at Fort Leavenworth, to confer with the city autorities of Kanass

to confer with the city autorities of Kansas City, Kan., in regard to the relief of the flood sufferers.

This action was taken in response to appeals from the Mayor of the city and Congressman Bowersock, who informed the department by telegraph that 10,000 persons have been made destitute by the flood. The people are in dire need of food and the local authorities ask that the War Department issue rations from Fort Leavenworth. Gen. Bell will investigate and report immediately to the department.

It is expected that there will be no delay in extending the relief called for in case Gen. Bell finds that the situation is as distressing as has been reported.

tressing as has been reported DEAD, BRUISED AND BLEEDING. Piece of Sheet Also Thrust Down Mary

O'Connell's Throat. Mary O'Connell, 38 years old. dead yesterday in a furnished room at 223 East 110th street. John A. Swanson, & driver employed by the American Ice Company, who lived with her, was arrested and in the Harlem court Magistrate Baker held him without bail until an autopsy

is performed on the woman's body. Swanson told the police that he went to work yesterday morning at 4 o 'clock and returning at 8:30 o'clock found the woman in good health. He remained at the house an hour and returned to his work at the foot of East 128th street. He came home to luncheon, he says, and found the works being access the hed face downthe woman lying across the bed face down-ward. Blood was flowing from her nose and mouth and there were several marks

ward. Blood was lowing from the hose and mouth and there were several marks on her throat. Swanson says he ran out and notified Policeman Scanlan of the East 104th street station, who called an ambulance from the Harlem Hospital. Dr. Burns came and examined the woman. He said that her death looked suspicious. He could not give the cause of death.

Detective, Enright questioned Swanson and placed him under arrest. When the woman's body was more carefully examined a piece of bed sheeting stained with blood was found thrust down her throat, and there were several bruises on her face which may have been caused by a blow or through her falling.

Swanson said he had lived with the woman for two months, and that they had got along well. The police of the East 104th street station say the woman came from Ireland about two years ago and was a hard drinker.

HONEYMOON AND NO HUSBAND.

Woman Who Says She's From New York Deserted in Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, July 8 .- An attractive and well dressed young woman, who gave her name as Mrs. Arthur Ross, reported to Inspector Crawford at police headquarters to-day the apparent disappearance of her husband, to whom she was secretly wedded

two weeks ago. The woman was hysterical and did not have a cent. Her story is that her husband is a son of Her story is that her husband is a son of a wealthy real estate dealer of Newark, N. J., and that she is a daughter of Morris Ebelstein, a merchant at Ninetieth street and Fifth avenue, New York. She says they eloped to a place in the Catskill Mountains, and, after a wedding ceremony, continued their tour westward. They went to Pitteburg and then took the steamer Keystone State for Cincinnati, where they arrived this morning.

this morning.

They secured rooms at 438 East Fifth street, and Ross returned to the steamer to get their two values. The police have discovered that Ross secured the values and then went to a station, where all trace of the man was lost. Mrs. Ross was taken to the Home for the Friendless. She will ask Mayor Fleischmann to give her transportation to her home.

BOODLER BERSCH SENTENCED. Former Member of Missouri House of Delegates Gets Two Years.

St. Louis, July 8.-Edmond Bersch, a former member of the House of Delegates, was sentenced by Judge McDonald this was sentenced by Judge McDonald this morning to two years in the penitentiary for accepting a bribe of \$2,500 for his vote on the city lighting bill in 1899. In pronouncing sentence, Judge McDonald said:

"For your effence of bribery and in pursuance of your plea of guilty and considering your acknowledgment of your guilt, I will impose a minimum sentence of two years in the penitentiary. I think under the circumstances that this sentence will have as much effect as a severer one."

Betwoh was taken to Jefferson City at 7 o'clock this evening. He seemed anxious that the prison should close upen him.

ODELL TALKS WITH ROOSEVELT

AND ADVISES TIM WOODRUFF THAT EARLY BOOMS FADE.

That Was After the Confab-Three Hour Talk "About Nothing in Particular," Says the Governor-Chairman - The President Won't Interfere in State.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., July 8.-Governor-Chairman Odell came to Oyster Bay to-day, conferred with the President for three hours and left town, denying that the name of any prospective Republican nominee for Governor had been mentioned during his stay at Sagamore Hill. The President, he said, was not interfering in State politics and had not been asked to adjudicate any difference of opinion between himself and Senator Platt as to the proper man to nominate.

The real purpose of his visit, Mr. Odell said, was to map out plans for the campaign in New York, and he added that his surpose was accomplished most pleasantly Somebody mentioned the name of Woodruff. It was said that Mr. Woodruff was disinclined to have his name presente just now as a candidate for the Governor

"He is wise," said the Governor-Chairman Early booms are like early summer Flowers fade before the coming of the fall. It was about 12:30 o'clock when the Governor-Chairman reached Oyster Bay. With him was Secretary Barnes of the State executive committee. The President's carriage was not at the station. The Presiient sends his carriage to the station only for members of his Cabinet. The Governor-Chairman apparently didn't know this. He looked around a bit, and then climbed into a rig with Secretary Barnes.

Mr. Odell was asked what he thought of the action of the committee on resolutions of the Democratic convention at St. Louis in deciding to adopt the platform with no positive declaration on the money question in it. He replied:
"Such action seems to me to be manifestly an exhibition of cowardice."

After leaving Oyster Bay, Governor-Chairman Odell and Mr. Barnes took the first train from Long Island City for Manhattan Beach. They arrived at the Oriental Hotel just before 7 o'clock and had a short conference with Senator Platt. Afterward the Governor-Chairman and Mr. Barnes dined at the same table with Mr. and Mrs. Platt, a show of friendliness by the Governor-Chairman to the Senator in great contrast with the attitude displayed on the previous night, when the two dined at tables not more than twenty feet apart and did not recognize each other.

The Governor-chairman wouldn't talk about his conversation with the President. He even declined at the hotel to answer

even declined at the hotel to answer inquiry as to whether Mr. Roosevel and expressed any preference for Gubernatorial nomin "Oh, we talked about nothing in particu-ar," said the Governor-chairman lightly The President wanted to know certain

Nothing was said about candidates."

Senator Platt, who said on Thursday night that he might have something to say after that he might have something to say after the Governor-chairman came back from Oyster Bay, had no remarks to make for publication, except that, so far as he knew, the President had not suggested any particu-lar candidate for the nomination for Gov-

The Governor-chairman will return to Newburg to-day, but he will be here again next week, when he will begin actively to arrange the preliminary plans for the Re-publican campaign in this State.

BRIDEGROOM IN A CELL. Was So Happy That He Forget to Return

a Hired Horse and Buggy. A combination of happiness and careless ness was responsible for the detention in a cell at Hoboken police headquarters last night of John Tulp, 22 years old, who was married on Thursday evening to Miss Eleanor Winbridge, of Cedar Grove, N. J. Mr. Tulp hired a horse and buggy from Hexamer, a Hoboken livery stable keeper, on Saturday last, to drive to Montclair. He telephoned to Hoboken that night that he could not return until the

following day. When three or four days had elapsed and the young man didn't appear, Mr. Hexamer swore out a warrant for his arrest for stealing his rig. Tulp was arrested yesterday morning at Cedar Grove, where he was spending his honeymoon. He explained that he placed the horse and buggy in a livery stable on Saturday night and promised the liveryman to call for them in a day or two. He was so happy over his pending marriage

and so busy making arrangements for the event that he forgot all about them. The Hoboken police could not fix bail, and the bridegroom had to stay in a cell. His bride had a long talk with him through His bride had a long talk with him through the bars last evening and there were tears in her eyes when she bade him good-night. Mr. Hexamer is satisfied with Tulp's explanation and will probably withdraw the complaint this morning. The bridegroom lived at 402 Morgan street, Union Hill, before his marriage. His brother, the Rev. A. P. Tulp, is pastor of a church at Hasbrouck Heights.

OBITUARY.

George H. Longbottom, of the American Locomotive Company, died yesterday of heart trouble at his home 571 East Twentysixth street. Paterson. N. J. He was born in Paterson in 1857. Thirty years ago he entered sixth street. Paterson. N. J. He was born in 1837. Thirty years ago he entered the employ of the Rogers Locomotive Works, as an office boy. He rose to the presidency of the works and held it at the time that Jacob S. Rogers, the principal stockholder, gave the order to close down the works. When the present Rogers Locomotive Company was formed Mr. Longbottom went with the American Locomotive Company, his wide acquaintance with officers of railroads making his services valuable. He was a member of the Hamilton and North Jersey Country clubs. He is survived by a wife and five children. Samuel Downing, father of Alderman Robert F. Downing of Brooklyn, and one of the old-time dry goods merchants of that borough, died, on Thursday, in his summer home at Sea Cliff, L. l., in his seventy-fifth year. He retired from business in 1895 to devote himself to his real estate interests. He had been a member of the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal Church for thirty-five years. He was active in Republican politics. His wife, three sons and four daughters survive him. The funeral services will be held this evening in his late home at 201 Dean street.

Jeremiah Baker of Madison, N. J., died yesterday. He was born in Westfield in 1823. He was connected with the American insurance Company for more than twenty-five years. For twenty-two years he was a director of the Madison Bank. He was married to Miss Elizabeth Webb of New York, who survives him. They had seven children, but all are dead. The flags on all the public buildings in Madison are at half mast.

mast.

James Loftus, Justice of the Peace-in Paterson, N. J., for forty years, died in Newark on Thursday at the age of 93. Mr. Loftus had lived in retirement for twenty years, He used to hold court at 440 Main street, Paterson. He was born in County Clare, Ireland, in 1810. He will be buried from the home of his nieces, Misses Frances and Margaret Cahill, 227 Godwin street, Paterson, this morning.

Edward C. Kirk died yesterday of a complication of diseases at his home, 217 West Forty-fifth street, in his sixty-ninth year. He had been a member of the brokerage firm of Tobey & Kirk for more than thirty years. He was a native of Columbia, Tenn, and a member of the Southern Society. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Oliver Bridgeman.

Frederick W. Appleton, a grain exporter

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Frederick W. Appleton, a grain exporter and a former member of the Produce Exchange, died on Tuesday in his home at 126 State street, Brooklyn, in his forty-second year. Before engaging in business in New York he had been employed on the Canadian Pacific Railroad for ten years. His wife survives him.

WORLD'S FAIR

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FIRE CHIEF CROKER ISSUES A

LESSER BUFFALOES REBUFFED

DISCRIMINATING ORDER. ome Hero Worshippers May No Longes Sleep in Firemen's Beds and Ride on Fire Engines-Query: Has Croker Be-

come a Friend of the Plutecracy Fire Chief Croker struck a lethal blow esterday at the Lesser Order of Buffaloes The Lesser Order is very different from

the Major Order of Buffs. Simon Brentano, of the well known oublishing and book selling firm, is the High Primate of the Major Order. The Major Order of Buffs all have fire badges Some of them have rubber tired wagons of their own, always waiting in all night livery stables. Many of them, in one way or another, have secured the privilege of having fire alarms put next to their beds

in their homes. The Lower Order, all too often, have no nomes. They have made it their custom to sleep in the beds of firemen who have night off and are otherwise excused from duty. They have felt it the highest privilege of their lives to run errands for firemen. They have clothed themselves in the discarded portions of firemen's uniforms. Little by little, as they have followed their customs, they have grown to feel that they are greater in authority than a battalion chief or a deputy chief or anybody except Chief Croker himself. Wherefore the Chief's

latest order hurts them most particularly.

The other day down in Broadway Chief Croker sent a lot of messages to various of his subrodinates. The messages were so urgent that, quite characteristically, Mr. Croker set out to deliver them himself in his wagon. To his astonishment, when he caught up with the messengers who had been sent out before, by his previous order, he found that none of them was a fireman.

"I found one kid," he said yesterday, "with a battalion chief's hat and a pair of rubber boots and a pair of overalls on and nothing else. I found another kid with a pair of drawers of his own and a fireman's cost on They were all doing fireman's n his wagon. To his astonishment, when a pair of drawers of his own and a fireman's coat on. They were all doing firemen's duty. Now, I don't want to discourage the enthusiastic spirit of this town for its fire department, but we have men paid to do that work and nobody knows who would hold those kids responsible for anything that went wrong. How could they be held responsible, for instance, if by means of their having parts of the department uniform they got into buildings where they had no business to be? So I issued an order."

Here is the order: HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK. BURBAU CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 7, 1904.

Special Order No. 78:

New York, July 7, 1904.

Special Order No. 78:

1. Officers and members of the uniformed force are hereby notified that a strict compliance with the provisions of the rules relative to persons other than members of the uniformed force riding on the apparatus of this department will be strictly enforced in the future, and no deviation whatsoever permitted therefrom, except by special permission in writing from the office chief of department.

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sion in writing from the comment.

The practice of allowing young men and boys to hang around company quarters and to wear uniforms or parts of uniforms at or about company quarters or at fires will be strictly prohibited, and the attention of the police authorities will be called to any one doing so. By order of EDWARD F. CROKER,

Chief of Department.

The Major Order of Buffaloes, which has never made it a practice to sleep in the unoccupied beds in fire houses and which has not ever felt itself privileged to ride

has not ever felt itself privileged to ride on the engines, hose wagons or fire trucks of the department, had nothing to say about the matter. But it was not so with Slim Pete, the chief of the Lesser Orden.

"Croker's standin' in wit' de trusts," said he. "He's tryin' to held out de District Messenger people. Was there ever a time when we weren't willing to run from here to Harlem [Pete has heretofore held forth in a downtown fire house] to carry a message widout any price at all fer a fireman? I tell youse, dere's no freedom in dis country any more. What fireman is goin' to make a hero of hisself if he hasn't got one of us Buffs to send fer coffee atterward?"

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There was a deep suspicion among the lesser buffs last night that the chief's action might have been caused by the case of Buffalo Seery, who has been voluntarily Buffalo Seery, who has been voluntarily attached to Engine 16. Seery was accused in a police court the other day of having snatched a pocketbook containing \$125 from a Miss McCavanaugh. He was said to have sought sanctuary in Engine 16's house after the theft. The firemen of Engine 16 all went into court and solemnly assured Magistrate Pool that Seery couldn't be a thief because he was a buff.

Mr. Croker said yesterday that he had never had his attention called to Seery's case. He expressed a general doubt as to whether a buff's general adoration for the heroism of the members of the Fire Department in general and as individuals altogether absolved them from all the temptations which the human animal is heir to.

Conried Reengages Herr Christians. Heinrich Conried, who is at present is Berlin, signed yesterday a contract with Rudolf Christians for forty appearances at the Irving Place Theatre. Herr Chris-tians, who is the leading romantic actor of the Royal Theatre in Berlin, played a brief engagement here last season. Next season he is to devote his entire leave of absence to his New York appearances.

DEAD ON THE PALISADES. Suicide Had Bullet Wound in His Temple

-Pistel Between His Knees. A young man who was strolling through the woods on the Palisades, 500 yards north of the park at Fort Lee, yesterday afternoon, with a young woman, discovered the body of a well dressed man in a clump of bushes near the edge of the heights overlooking the Hudson. The body was in a sitting posture and the head was bowed forward. A wound was seen in the right emple, and between the dead man's kneed was a revolver, one chamber of

had been discharged. In a waistcoat pooket a slip of paper was found. On it, written in lead pencil, was the following: "A. Schwarz. Toms River, New Jersey."

On a tree a few feet away from the body

was hanging an umbrells. In the man's pockets were found three pawn tickets dated July 1. One ticket showed that a pair of field glasses had been pledged for \$1.
Another was for rings pawned for \$3, and
the other was for a watch, which was pawned
for \$15. The only money in the pockets

was it cents.
Coroner Robertson of Tenafly ordered the body removed to the morgue of McNally Brothers at Fort Lee. An examination of the body showed that the man had been dead many hours. He was about 50 years old. A copy of a New York morning newspaper of Thursday morning was found on the body.

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A. Schwarz is a butcher at Toms River. He was at his house last night and talked to The Sun reporter over the telephone shortly before midnight. Mr. Schwarz says that he has no idea who the suicide may be or how he came to have the butcher's name on the slip of paper. Even when a thorough description of the dead man was given to him Mr. Schwarz was unable to think of any one answering such a description.

MINERS DEMAND GRANTED.

Scranton Coal Co. Gives In on Payment of Check Weighmen and Docking Bosses. WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 8.—Supt. Bryden of the Scranton Coal Company to-night granted the demand of the miners that the operators deduct a tax from the miners' wages, where a majority so desired, to pay the check weighmen and the docking bosses.

Umpire Wright, in a personal letter to President Nichols, recently gave his opinion on the question, which favored the mine workers. Mr. Bryden said that, while Mr. Wright's opinion was not a decision as an umpire, the Scranton Coal Company, until the matter can be brought up and disposed of in the prescribed way by the conciliation board, would, at the collieries where a majority of the miners have made assignments, arrange to deduct a proportionste share of the wages of each contract miner for paying the check weighmen and the decking bosses.

President Nichols and other officials of the union say the matter has already been adjusted by the conciliation board. Mr. Bryden's reply will be discussed at the convention of delegates representing the 78,000 mine workers next week. operators deduct a tax from the miners

WON'T ARBITRATE THEIR STRIKE Would-be Arbitrators. Overtures by various disinterested parties

to bring about an arbitration of the clothing strike have been rejected by both sides, and it was said yesterday that the strike will continue. The manufacturers say that as the National Association of Clothiers meant all that it implied in the declaration of the open shop they cannot and will not retreat. It is therefore a question of how lengths at this process held out.

long the strikers can hold out.

A representative of Alfred Benjamin & Co., one of the leading firms in the fight, said yesterday that striking cutters are beginning to return to work, but not in large numbers.

The New York Clothing Trade Association held a meeting last evening in the Hotel Lafayette-Brevoort at which reports were received from the manufacturers. It was stated that about half the places of the striking cutters had been filled and that in several cases whole shops had either resumed work or made arrangements to do so next week.

Strike Settled by Arbitration. GLENS FALLS, N. Y., July 8 .- For the first time in Glens Falls arbitration has been time in Glens Falls arbitration has been successfully used to settle a labor trouble. Four weeks ago the International Paper Mill employees asked for the reinstatement of a discharged piper, and struck because the demand was refused. They returned to work under an agreement to arbitrate the matter, which was referred to the pastors of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Catholic churches. The arbitrators have now reported unanimously in favor of the piper's reinstatement, but under a reprimand.

Army and Navy Orders.

WASHINGTON, July 8 .- The following army orders were to day issued:

Major David Price, Artillery, detailed to attend
the encompment of the Rhode Island militia at
Quonset Point, July 11 to 16.

Brig.-Gen. Henry H. C. Dunwoody is rettred
from active service at his own request, he having
served more than forty years.

A general court-martial to meet at Fort Hancock,
with Capt. Abraham S. Hicham, Quartermaster,
as president, and Second Light. George A. Taylor,
Artillery, as judge advocate.

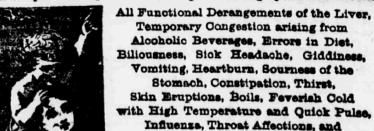
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These navy orders were issued:
Commander D. D. V. Stuart detached from temporary duty as supervisor of harbor of New York.
Lieutenant-Commander E. B. Scribner to Philadelphia, in connection with fitting out the Colorado
and in charge of the engineering department of
that vessie when commissioned.

Lieutenant-Commander H. H. Hostey to duty as
supervisor of harbor of New York.

Lieut. J. D. McDonaid to home and wait orders.

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